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VIA FACSIMILE

Ms. Lisa Nichols
United States Environmental Protection Agency
Region III
841 Chestnut Building
Philadelphia, PA 19107

Reference: Novak Sanitary Landfill Site
April 1991 Monthly Progress Report

Dear Ms. Nichols:

Pursuant to the Administrative Order by Consent, enclosed are three copies of the monthly progress report for the period of April 1991 for the Novak Sanitary Landfill site.

If you or your staff have further questions concerning this report, please contact me at (615) 691-5052. Thank you for your assistance.

Best regards,


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Enclosures

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**MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT
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PROJECT NAME: Novak Sanitary Landfill Site
South Whitehall Township, Pennsylvania

TIME PERIOD COVERED: April 1991

ACTIONS TAKEN TOWARD COMPLIANCE WITH AOC:

- Preparation and submittal of monthly progress report for February 1991. Monthly progress report was submitted on 10 April 1991.
- A Force Majeure report was submitted to the USEPA on 12 April 1991. The report documented an anticipated delay resulting from difficulties encountered in obtaining access to the Daniel Puchyr property.

PLANS AND PROCEDURES COMPLETED:

- Monitoring well installations MW-16, MW-17, MW-18, and MW-19 were completed on 10 April 1991. Installation of monitoring wells MW-20, MW-21, MW-22, and MW-23 have been delayed until an access agreement can be finalized with Daniel Puchyr.
- The residential supply well sampling outlined in the Addendum to the RI/FS Work Plan/Field Operations Plan was conducted on 30 April, 1 and 2 May 1991.

ACTION ITEMS FOR FOLLOWING MONTH:

- Complete monitoring well installations
- Initiate monitoring well sampling program.
- Complete the residential supply well sampling program.
- The access agreement with Daniel Puchyr will be finalized during the first week of May. The installation of the monitoring wells proposed for Daniel Puchyr's property will begin on 13 May 1991.

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ANTICIPATED DELAYS/PROBLEMS:

- Inclement weather may impact supplemental field activities.

VALIDATED RESULTS OF SAMPLING/TESTING:

- None

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